GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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PRIVATISATION OF HEALTH SERVICES
C.P. RADHAKRISHNAN

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to privatize maximum health services in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise, Union Territory-wise;

(c) whether the privatization of health services would ensure prompt and effective treatment to the people of the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (d): No Sir, Government is committed to the overall objective of providing health care services for all, with a focus on providing comprehensive primary health care.